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TOWN OF
DEDHAM
MAINE



ANNUAL REPORT

1945-46

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
MUNICIPAL OFFICERS
OF THE TOWN OF
DEDHAM, MAINE

For the Year Ending

FEBRUARY 28, 1946

ALSO

THE WARRANT



TOWN OFFICERS

1945 - 1946

Moderator

George A. Gray

Town Clerk

Gerald Thompson

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of Poor

Roger E. Blackmer, Thomas McTague, Percy E. Inman

Treasurer

George A. Gray

Collector of Taxes

Ella I. Gray

Road Commissioner

Elmer J. Gray

Superintendent of Schools

L. T. Dunham

Ballot Clerks

Maurice M. Miller

John C. Cheney

Health Officer

Josephine D. Moore

Constables

Elton F. Smith

John L. Parker

Bert Spencer

Surveyors of Lumber, Wood and Bark

A. M. Houston

Blake D. Smith

Toivo Johnson

R. S. Higgins

Fire Wardens

A. M. Houston, F. M. Barnes, Toivo Johnson, R. E. Blackmer

Sextons

Eastern, Herbert Gray.

Central, George A. Gray.

Union, Bernard Black.

Field Drivers and Fence Viewers

George D. Maynard

Shirley Young

Fire Ward

George A. Gray

TOWN WARRANT

To John L. Parker, a Constable of the Town of Dedham, in
the County of Hancock, GREETINGS:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the said town of Dedham, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to assemble at the Town Hall, in said town, on Monday, the 11th day of March, A. D. 1946, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles, to wit:

Article 1 To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

- 2 To choose a town clerk for the ensuing year.
- 3 To act on reports of town officers.
- 4 To choose all necessary town officers for the ensuing year.
- 5 To see if the town will vote to grant and raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray all the town charges for the ensuing year and the following:
 - Support of schools.
 - Poor and town charges.
 - Roads and bridges.
 - Removing snow.
 - Cutting bushes.
- 6 To see if the town will vote to raise a sum of money to help defray the expenses of Memorial Day.
- 7 To see if the town will vote when taxes will be due, and what rate of interest shall be charged after due.
- 8 To see what sum the town will raise and appropriate for State-aid road construction (in addition to the amounts regularly raised for the care of ways, highways and bridges) under the provisions of section 19, chapter 28, Revised Statutes of 1930, or under the provisions of sections 25 and 29, chapter 20, Public Laws of 1944, revised and amended.

- 9 To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen and treasurer to make temporary loans, in anticipation of taxes, and to issue and negotiate notes therefore, or renewals thereof, on any notes in place of the original notes when paid to an amount which at any time shall not exceed in the aggregate the total tax levy of the preceding municipal year, all such notes to mature and to be paid during the municipal year in which they are issued out of the money raised during such current year by taxes, in accordance with the provisions of the Revised Statutes of Maine, 1930, section 83, chapter 5, as amended.
- 10 To see what the town will vote to pay for collecting, disbursing, labor on roads, removing snow, etc., and all town officers for the ensuing year.
- ✓ 11 To see if the town will vote to authorize the town treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, to sell and convey the town's interest in lands and buildings that have been or may be forfeited to the town for non-payment of taxes.
- 12 To see if the town will vote to grant and raise a sum of money to provide for the services of a public health nurse.
- 13 To see if the town will vote to authorize the assessors to determine the amount, and assess the same, made necessary to comply with the provisions of chapter 43 of the Special Laws of Maine for 1927, relating to the participation of Lucerne-in-Maine Village Corporation, in the town taxes.
- 14 To take all necessary action to comply with the provisions of chapter 33 of the Special Laws of Maine for 1927, relating to special assessments.
- 15 To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to purchase bonds for the tax collector and treasurer for the year 1946 .
- 16 To see if the town will vote to raise a sum of money, not to exceed \$866.00 for State highway patrol.

- 17 To see if the town will vote to raise \$1,000.00, and the interest of $3\frac{1}{2}$ per cent., on balance due of \$6,000.00, for the bond issue which is due and payable February 2, 1947.
- 18 To see whether or not the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$50.00 to be paid to the State of Maine Publicity Bureau to be expended and used for advertising the natural resources, advantages and attractions of the State of Maine, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 5, section 82, of the Revised Statutes of Maine.
- 19 To see if the town will vote to raise a sum of money to be expended on the Mountainy Pond road.
- 20 To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of not less than \$93.00 for maintenance and construction of improved sections of third-class roads.
- 21 To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of \$68.98 for the interest on the school fund.
- 22 To see what action the town will take to remodel, rebuild or repair the schoolhouse, and to raise money for the same.
- 23 To see if the town will vote to discontinue the McGinnis Road, so-called from the cemetery to the Bucksport line.
- 24 To see what the town wishes to do about the Mary York road, so-called.
- 25 To see if the town wishes to authorize the treasurer to accept payment from William and Rhea Gray on the Judd place, so-called.
- 26 To see if the town will vote to accept the sum of \$100.00 from the Gertrude Pond estate for the care of the Arie Burrill lot in Union cemetery.
- 27 To see if the town will vote to raise a sum of money to combat the white pine blister in cooperation with the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

- 28 To see if the town will vote to set up a memorial plaque for World War II veterans, and raise money for the same.
- 29 To see if the town will vote to refund the 1945 poll tax of men over 70 years of age, providing they make application for refund before April 15, 1946.
- 30 To see if the town will choose a budget committee of 5 voters to meet with the selectmen every two months, or at any special time that the chairman of the board of selectmen requests.
- 31 To see if the town will vote to fix the salaries of its selectmen at three hundred dollars each member.
- 32 To see if the town will vote to elect its selectmen as members only, and let them decide which one will if necessary be chairman.
- 33 To see if the town will vote to have the selectmen's and assessors' books and all other equipment turned over to the newly-elected selectmen on each election day.
- 34 To see if the town will vote to cause the tax books, assessors' books, abstracts, correspondence and files which belong to the selectmen and assessors, to be kept in the safe at the Town Hall at all times, when otherwise not in actual use by the selectmen and assessors. This as a safeguard against fire and loss and in order to make them accessible to all selectmen and assessors at all times.
- 35 To see if the town will vote to have the tax commitments of the assessors delivered to the tax collector not later than 30 June of each tax year.
- 36 To see if the town will vote to take the necessary action to straighten out the matters of the Judd place, so-called.

- 37 To see if the town will vote to take some action on the back indebtedness of the town.

The selectmen will be in session at the Town Hall, at nine o'clock in the forenoon on the day of said meeting, for the purpose of revising and correcting the list of voters.

Given under our hands at Dedham, this 2nd day of March, A. D. 1946.

ROGER E. BLACKMER,

THOMAS McTAGUE,

PERCY E. INMAN,

Selectmen of Dedham.

ASSESSORS' REPORT

VALUATION

Dedham:

Real Estate:

Resident	\$ 48,112.00
Non-resident	147,281.00

\$195,393.00

Personal Estate:

Resident	\$6,493.00
Non-resident	2,175.00

8,668.00

Lucerne:

Real estate	\$151,062.74
Personal estate	6,700.00

157,762.74

Total valuation \$361,823.74

ASSESSMENT

Dedham:

Tax on \$204,061 @ .051	\$10,407.11
Tax on 87 polls @ \$3.00	261.00

\$10,668.11

Lucerne:

Tax on \$157,762.74 @ .051	\$8,045.90
Fractional gain01

8,045.91

Total assessment and tax committed \$18,714.02

COMPUTATION OF ASSESSMENT

Tax Requirements:

Appropriated by town	\$10,438.00
State tax.....	2,941.28
County tax.....	1,085.99

\$14,465.27

✓ Lucerne-in-Maine

Participation.....	3,773.08
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\$18,238.35

Overlay to surplus.....

475.67

Tax commitment.....

\$18,714.02

Supplementary

Tax on 9 polls @ \$3.00.....

27.00

\$18,741.02

PURPOSES FOR WHICH TAXES WERE ASSESSED

Schools, tuition, text-books and supplies	\$3,500.00
Poor and town charges	2,500.00
Roads and bridges	600.00
Removing snow	1,000.00
Cutting bushes	300.00
Memorial Day	15.00
Public Health Nurse	30.00
State highway patrol	700.00
Bond issue	1,000.00
Mountainy Pond road	400.00
Maintenance and construction of third-class roads	93.00
Repairs to schoolhouse	300.00
To pay Lucerne 60 per cent. of all taxes assessed and collected on Lucerne property, exclusive of	
State and county tax	3,773.08
State tax	2,941.28
County tax	1,085.99
Overlay	475.67
Total	<u>\$18,714.02</u>

ROGER E. BLACKMER,

THOMAS McTAGUE,

PERCY E. INMAN,

Assessors of Dedham.

ASSESSORS' AND SELECTMEN'S REPORT

ASSESSORS' REPORT

On Special Taxes Assessed on Property Located Within the
Limits of Lucerne-in-Maine Village Corporation

Total valuation of Lucerne-in-Maine Village Corporation, real and personal	\$157,762.74
Total amount voted by Lucerne-in-Maine Village Corporation at the eighteenth annual meeting on the 17th day of February, 1945	\$3,750.00
Overlay	195.94
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	\$3,945.94
Tax on \$157,762.74 @ .025, \$3,945.94.	
Total committed to Ella I. Gray, collector	<u>\$3,945.94</u>

PERCY E. INMAN,

THOMAS McTAGUE,

ROGER E. BLACKMER,

Assessors of Dedham.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

WARRANTS PAID

TOWN ROADS AND BRIDGES

Appropriation \$600.00

EXPENDITURES

Elmer J Gray, labor	\$147.69
William Gray	138.20
Elmer J Gray, truck	279.50
Albert Doughty	9.80
Elwin Gray	14.26
Owen Young	2.48
Frank Kidder	4.96
Walter Maddocks	1.20
Blake D Smith	12.72
Josie Smith	1.80
George Hopkins	4.62
Roy Gray	1.32

Total 618.55

Overexpended \$18.55

CUTTING BUSHES

Appropriation \$300.00

EXPENDITURES

Elmer J Gray, labor	\$95.14
William Gray	84.48
Elmer J Gray, truck	67.00
Arthur Houston	5.28
Blake D Smith	21.12
Leo Anderson	47.52
George Hopkins	79.20
Bernard Black	15.84
Carl Bragg	23.76
Walter Gray	5.73

Total 445.07

Overexpended \$145.07

MOUNTAINY POND ROAD

Appropriation	\$400.00
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EXPENDITURES

Clarence Young	\$ 19.84
Clarence Young, truck	40.00
Blake D Smith	55.20
Earle Gilley	14.88
William Gray	62.96
Frank Kidder	19.84
Larry Arsenault	4.96
Elmer J Gray, labor	55.44
Elmer J Gray, truck	103.80
George Hopkins	9.92
Albert Doughty	4.10
Paul Price	3.10
Josie Smith	1.70
 Total	 395.74
 Unexpended	 \$4.26

SNOW FENCE

EXPENDITURES

Bernard Black	\$ 4.96
Larry Arsenault	4.96
Earle Gilley	4.96
George Hopkins	18.48
Roy Gray	18.48
William Gray	23.76
Elmer Gray	19.88
Elmer Gray, truck	35.00
W H Shurtleff & Co	57.50
 Total	 \$187.98

SNOW PLOWINGEXPENDITURES

Harris Whiting	\$4.96
Clarence Young	761.20
Conrad Woodruff	7.44
Blake D Smith	64.28
Albert Doughty	3.10
Herbert Gray	57.10
Walter Gray	342.16
Elmer Gray	4.56
Owen Young	194.37
Charles E Johnson	4.62
George A Gray	31.35
Leroy Gray	3.96

Total	\$1,479.10
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Snow appropriation	\$1,000.00
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Other credits	332.10
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	\$1,332.10
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Expenditures:

Snow fence	\$187.98
Sanding roads	373.17
Snow plowing	1,479.10

	\$2,040.25
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Overexpended balance	\$708.15
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HIGHWAY PATROL MAINTENANCE

1944 State patrol	\$699.30
1945 State patrol	865.40

Total due State	\$1,564.70
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Paid State	1,143.35
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Due State, transferred to Accounts Payable	\$421.35
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SANDING ROADS

EXPENDITURES

George Hopkins	\$44.88
Roy Gray	22.44
William Gray	24.42
Elmer Gray	26.27
Elmer Gray ,truck	46.25
Albert Doughty	9.60
Josie Smith	1.20
W H Shurtleff & Co	66.40
Walter Gray	68.99
Herbert Gray	12.89
George A Gray	23.43
Clarence Young	11.22
Owen Young	5.28
Charles E Johnson	5.28
Leroy Gray	4.62
Total	<u>\$373.17</u>

STATE-AID CONSTRUCTION

Appropriation	\$799.50
Received from State treasurer	1,148.10
	<u>\$1,947.60</u>
Due from State of Maine	362.24
	<u>\$2,309.84</u>

EXPENDITURES

Balance due from State	\$1,503.55
Tar, sand, Green Lake road	192.55
State of Maine, tar, Green Lake road	363.10
Tar, sand Green Lake road	250.64
	<u>\$2,309.84</u>

ROAD MACHINE

Balance unexpended appropriation	<u>\$500.00</u>
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TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES AND EXPENSES

EXPENDITURES

Blake D Smith, balance to 1944-1945	\$333.89
George A Gray, commission 1944-1945	236.23
Ella I Gray, commission to February 28, 1946 ...	649.22
Roger E. Blackmer, in full to February 28, 1946	597.92
Thomas McTague, in full to February 28, 1946 ..	217.92
Percy E Inman, in full to February 28, 1946	204.86
Gerald Thompson, in full to February 28, 1946	10.00
Total	<u>\$2,250.04</u>

STATE TAX

Due the State as of February 6, 1946:

Interest on 1940 tax	\$157.67
Interest on 1941 tax	246.28
Interest on 1942 tax	210.67
Interest on 1943 tax	222.86
State tax, 1942	515.17
State tax, 1943	417.66
State tax, 1944	1,155.83
State tax, 1945	2,951.18
Total	\$5,877.32
Paid State	\$1,000.00
School fund and dog tax refund	<u>1,107.90</u>
	2,107.90
Due State	<u>\$3,769.42</u>

COUNTY TAX

County tax for 1945	\$1,085.99
Paid county	<u>1,085.99</u>

PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

Appropriation	\$30.00
Paid Hancock County Health Ass'n	<u>30.00</u>

GENERAL TOWN CHARGES AND SUPPORT OF POOR

Total expenditures		\$3,363.79
Appropriation	\$2,500.00	
Other credits	649.90	
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Total available		3,149.90
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Overexpended		\$213.89
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AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN (MOTHERS' AID)

Due State treasurer, Dec 31, 1944 to Dec 1, 1945 ..	\$588.70
Transferred to Accounts Payable	588.70
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Child of Doris Coffin, monthly allowance of \$18. Child of Hattie Craig, monthly allowance of \$96. The town of Dedham pays 50 per cent.

MEMORIAL DAY

Appropriation	\$15.00
Paid acct Walter R Parker Post, 156 G A R	
Memorial expenses	15.00
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BONDS

Appropriation	\$1,000.00
Paid Smith, White & Stanley	1,000.00
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LUCERNE-IN-MAINE PARTICIPATION 1945 TAXES

Appropriation	\$3,773.08
Adjustment for State and county, etc	638.01
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Due Lucerne	\$4,411.09
Paid Lucerne	2,492.70
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Balance	\$1,918.39
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LUCERNE PARTICIPATION 1944 TAXES

Balance		\$2,224.93
Paid Lucerne	\$1,516.41	
Abatements	480.17	
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Total credits		1,996.58
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Balance due		\$228.35
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LUCERNE PARTICIPATION 1943 TAXES

Balance		\$698.15
Abatements	\$395.57	
Other credits	126.68	
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Total credits		522.25
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Balance		\$175.90
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LUCERNE PARTICIPATION 1942 TAXES

Balance		\$609.61
Abatements	\$355.82	
Other credits	209.22	
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Total credits		565.04
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Balance		\$44.57
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CEMETERIES

Balance unexpended February 28 1945	\$6.30
Paid George A Gray	5.00
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Balance unexpended	\$1.30
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CEMETERY TRUST FUND

Care of Alfred Gray lot, Central cemetery, on deposit, Bucks-
port branch Merrill Trust Company

Balance February 5, 1944	\$106.30
Interest to December 1, 1945	2.12

Balance	<u>\$108.42</u>
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TOWN HALL REPAIRS

Balance unexpended appropriation	<u>\$500.00</u>
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MISCELLANEOUS

General Town Expense

Elton F Smith, posting warrants	\$6.00
Han Co Pub Co, town reports 1944-1945	66.00
Bangor Hydro-Elec Co, street, town hall lights	198.48
Dillingham's, town supplies	60.00
Leroy Gray, fire at Lucerne93
Herbert Gray, fire at Lucerne	1.93
Matt Hill, fire at Goose Pond	1.86
B L Gray, wood for town hall	36.00
Bangor State hospital, Mabel Barnes' account	577.67
Han Co Registry Deeds, abstracts	25.50
Blake, Barrows & Brown, bonds, col, treas	37.50
Maurice M Miller, ballot clerk, 1944	20.00
C D Merrifield, town supplies	1.24
Ella I Gray, 1944 tax liens	114.00
Ella I Gray, 1942 expenses	56.92
Ella I Gray, 1945 expenses	36.67
L H Thompson, town supplies	21.45
Fire payroll Aug 17, Phillips Lake	11.88
Smith & Co, int on bond issue	122.50
Herbert Gray, labor on Eastern cemetery	12.00
Me Municipal Ass'n, dues 1945 and 1946	15.00
Paul A Smith, audit of 1944-1945 town accounts	624.44
William F Dunbar, survey of Judd place	15.00
Int transferred to int account	121.04
Harlan B Knights, lien cost settlement	547.00
Harlan B Knights, commissions	153.55
1943 tax liens	3.00
1942 and 1943 Lucerne town tax liens	10.20
Int, transferred to int account	6.04
Federal Trust Co, trustee of bond issue	10.00
George Hopkins, labor, wood for town hall	4.00
Paul A Smith, verifying 1945 commitment	51.50
Blaisdell & Blaisdell, legal services	5.00
George A Gray, expenses 1945-1946	24.78

Gerald Thompson, expenses 1944-1945	11.05
Paul F Kavanaugh, town supplies	5.00
Int, transferred to school account	68.98
Josephine D Moore, health officer	10.00
Paul A Smith, audit of Knights' tax account	233.30
Dog tax refund	9.90
Error in warrant45
Error in warrant	5.54
Bear bounty	10.00
Excise tax commission	10.49
Total	<u>\$3,363.79</u>

SCHOOL HOUSE REPAIRS

RECEIPTS

Appropriation	\$300.00
Balance February 28, 1945	180.53
Total available	<u>\$480.53</u>

EXPENDITURES

William Gray	\$5.78
Walter S McLaughlin	76.00
Elmer J Gray	34.34
Sidney McLaughlin	76.00
Mrs Edward C Bragg	4.80
Matt Hill	18.00
James Henderson	21.00
Morse & Company	20.54
Toivo Johnson	35.45
Clarence Young	3.00
Wilson A Rex	18.84
Roger E Blackmer	2.00
Blake D Smith	3.30
George Hopkins	2.64
Josie Smith	1.20
	<u>322.89</u>
Total unexpended	<u>\$157.64</u>

SCHOOL REPORT

RECEIPTS

Appropriation	\$3,500.00
Balance February 28, 1945	112.48
Town of Bucksport	72.00
Lucerne-in-Maine, tuition	36.00
E R Bowdin, accounts receivable	6.90
State treasurer, school fund	1,092.46
Int on school fund, trans from Town Charges ..	68.98
State treasurer, high school tuition	222.29
Transferred to school repairs	18.43
Total available	\$5,129.54

EXPENDITURES

Teachers:

Josie Smith	\$420.00
Kathleen Knights	360.00
Hazel Hoyt	660.00
Kathleen Knights	360.00
Ella I Gray	150.00
Louise Drake ..	420.00
Ione Garcelon	150.00
Maine Teachers' Retirement Ass'n	5.00
	2,165.00

Conveyance:

Walter Gray	\$1,149.50
Clayton Wasson	1,128.50

2,278.00

Fuel	234.18
Text-books and supplies	418.31
Bangor Hydro Electric Co	23.52
Lloyd T Dunham	150.00

Janitors:

Helen B Gray	\$94.55
Bernard Black	5.00

99.56

Tuition:

City of Brewer	\$711.28	
City of Bangor	125.00	
City of Orono	40.54	
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Total expended	\$6,245.39	
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Overexpended	\$1,115.85	
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Respectfully submitted,

ROGER E. BLACKMER,

THOMAS McTAGUE,

PERCY E. INMAN,

Selectmen of Dedham.

CHARGES AGAINST LUCERNE-IN-MAINE VILLAGE CORPORATION

Due from Lucerne—Not in Accounts Receivable

1944 Tax Commitment:

60% collector's commission on Lucerne town ..	\$93.52
Proportionate share of collector's bond	7.38
Proportionate share of collector's supplies	43.79

1945 Tax Commitment:

Assessors' expenses, 493 hours' labor @ .64	
\$315.52—81.06% of cost	255.76
Proportionate share of collector's bond	7.38
Proportionate share of collector's supplies	42.50
60% collector's commission on Lucerne town ..	79.43

Due from Lucerne \$529.67

UNPAID ACCOUNTS NOT PREVIOUSLY LISTED

From February 28, 1945 to February 28, 1946

George A. Gray, treasurer	\$252.69
Walter H Gray, care of Alfred H. Gray lot	5.00
Owen Young, error on warrant	10.00
Leland Gray, sanding	2.64
Roy Gray, sanding	5.28
Bernard Black, sanding	11.28
Clarke & Silsby, requested bill, but has not been received at the writing of this report	

Total \$286.89

Accounts Payable	\$5,760.26
Accounts receivable	3,146.35

Balance \$2,613.91

Indebtedness:

Accts Payable and Accts Rec balance	\$2,613.91
Unpaid accts not listed in accts payable	286.89
State of Maine, State tax	3,769.42
Lu-in-Maine Vil Corp, 1945 commitment	1,940.01
Unused appropriations	1,007.31
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Total	\$9,617.54

Less:

Unpaid taxes	\$4,924.85
Cash on hand	1,163.06
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	6,087.91

Indebtedness	<u>\$3,529.63</u>
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Assets - Real Estate:

Town property, Dedham	\$85.82
Town property, Lucerne	14,910.01
Tax liens, Dedham	119.94
Tax liens, Lucerne	1,031.80
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	16,147.57

Less cash indebtendness	<u>3,529.63</u>
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Balance, real estate	<u>\$12,617.94</u>
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AUDITOR'S REPORT

March 4, 1946

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Dedham:

In accordance with the request from your Board of Selectmen, we have audited the accounts of the Town of Dedham, Maine, and we certify that, subject to the comments incorporated in our report, which, we were unable to complete due to the shortness of time between our examination and the printing of your annual town report, the accompanying Exhibit correctly presents, in accordance with sound principles of municipal accounting, the Departmental receipts and Expenditures for the year ended February 28, 1946.

PAUL A. SMITH,

Public Accountants.

To The Taxpayers Of The TOWN OF DEDHAM

I shall be at the Town Hall on Friday evening, March 8, from 7:30 on for as long as you wish to stay, to discuss and explain with any or all of you, the finances of the Town of Dedham.

I shall also be there, downstairs, after grange meeting on Saturday evening, March 9, for those who find it inconvenient to come on Friday evening.

ROGER E. BLACKMER,

First Selectman.

TOWN OF DEDHAM, MAINE
STATEMENT OF DEPARTMENTAL ACCOUNTS
For the Year Ended February 28, 1946

	Balance 2-28-45	Appropriations	Departmental Receipts	Other Credits	Total Available	Cash Disbursements	Other Charges	Total Charges	Lapsed Balance Overdrafts	Lapsed Unexpended	Balance 2-28-46
General Government:											
General town expense		\$2,500.00	\$225.67	\$424.23	\$3149.90	\$2484.20	\$879.59	\$3363.79	\$213.89		
Town officers' salary				50.51	50.51	2250.04	252.96	2503.00	2452.49		500.00
Town hall repairs	500.00				500.00						
Health and Sanitation:											
Health nurse	500.00	2500.00	225.67	474.74	3700.41	4734.24	1132.55	5866.79	2666.38		500.00
Highways and Bridges:											
Town roads and bridges		600.00			600.00	618.55		618.55	18.55		
Snow removal		1000.00	332.00	.10	1332.10	2020.25	20.00	2040.25	708.15		
Patrol maintenance		700.00		699.30	1399.30	1143.35	421.35	1564.70	165.40		
St-aid con 1941-1944	*704.05		1148.10		444.05	806.29		806.29			*362.24
Third-class maint		93.00			93.00					93.00	

TOWN OF DEDHAM, MAINE
STATEMENT OF DEPARTMENTAL ACCOUNTS
For the Year Ended February 28, 1946

EXHIBIT D

	Balance 2-28-45	Appropri- ations	Departmental Receipts	Other Credits	Total Available	Cash Disbursements	Other Charges	Total Charges	Lapsed Balance Overdrafts	Lapsed Balance Unexpended	Balance 2-28-46
Road machine	500.00				500.00					500.00	
Cutting bushes		300.00			300.00	445.07		445.07	145.07		
Mountain Pond road		400.00			400.00	395.74		395.74		4.26	
Charities:											
Aid to dependent children	*204.05	3093.00	1480.10	699.40	5068.45	5429.25	441.35	5870.60	1037.17	97.26	137.76
Education:											
Common schools	112.48	3500.00	1455.73	61.33	5129.54	5663.39	582.00	6245.39		*1115.85	
High school tuition	*332.99			332.99							
Text-books and sup	*237.47			237.47							
School repairs	180.53	300.00			480.53	304.46	18.43	322.89			157.64
Special project	7.31				7.31						7.31
	*270.14	3800.00	1455.73	631.79	5617.38	5967.85	600.43	6568.28			*950.90

Recreation: Memorial Day		15.00			15.00	15.00			
Unclassified: Abatements					51.59	51.59	51.59		
Cemeteries:									
General care	6.30					5.00			1.30
Perpetual care interest						5.00			*5.00
Interest:									
General	6.30					5.00	10.00		*3.70
Municipal Indebtedness:			132.50						*271.05
Reduction of debt		1000.00					1000.00		
Special Assessment:									
State tax	2262.74	2941.28	754.18				2107.90	2107.90	3850.30
County tax		1085.99					1085.99	1085.99	
	2262.74	4027.27	754.18				3193.89	3193.89	3850.30
Total all departments	\$2294.85	\$14465.27	\$3161.50	\$2692.61	\$22614.23	\$20497.73	\$3100.67	\$23598.40*	\$343.84\$97.26\$3262.41

TREASURER'S REPORT

GEORGE A. GRAY, Treasurer,

In account with the TOWN OF DEDHAM

1945

Cash in treasury Feb 28, 1945	\$2,065.97
Mar 9 Josie Smith, withholding tax	5.40
Kathleen Knights, withholding tax and retirement fund	5.40
24 Josie Smith, withholding tax	8.20
Kathleen Knights, withholding tax and retirement fund	7.40
Apr 2 Ella I Gray, 1944 Lucerne town taxes	244.43
Ella I Gray, 1942 Lucerne town taxes	103.53
Ella I Gray, 1945 excise taxes	14.78
Ella I Gray, 1944 non-resident taxes	182.49
Ella I Gray, 1944 poll tax and interest ..	4.59
Ella I Gray, 1944 resident taxes	76.45
7 Josie Smith, withholding tax	8.20
18 Josie Smith, withholding tax	4.10
Kathleen Knights, withholding tax and retirement fund	3.70
23 Margaret A Walsh, 1943 Lucerne tax lien and interest	5.10
Stewart E Walsh, 1943 Lucerne tax lien and interest	2.58
26 Ann R and Robert Burns, 1942 Lucerne tax lien	42.84
May 1 Ella I Gray, 1944 non-resident taxes	133.55
Ella I Gray, 1944 Lucerne town taxes	237.18
Ella I Gray, 1944 resident and 1945 excise tax	38.11
5 Josie Smith, withholding tax	8.20
Kathleen Knights, withholding tax and retirement fund	7.40
14 Donald C Lewis, Dedham town property	54.22
18 Josie Smith, withholding tax	8.20
Kathleen Knights, withholding tax and retirement fund	7.40
25 Lillian Small, 1942 and 1943 tax lien and costs	32.26

	28 Francis Krause, 1942 and 1943 tax lien and costs	101.95	L
June	2 Leota M McCloskey, Lucerne town property	200.00	L
	Josie Smith, withholding tax	8.20	
	Kathleen Knights, withholding tax and retirement fund	7.40	
	Ella I Gray, 1945 excise tax and accounts receivable	10.75	
	Ella I Gray, 1944 resident taxes	111.98	
	Ella I Gray, 1945 poll tax	3.00	
✓	5 Margaret L Pascocella, 1943 tax lien and costs	2.58	✓
	Arthur Homstead, accts rec	5.00	
	8 Josie Smith, withholding tax	4.10	
	Kathleen Knights, withholding tax and retirement fund	3.70	
+	11 Charles R McNeal, town property on acct	100.00	✓
	Charles R McNeal, town prop in full	250.00	✓
	12 George A Gray, accts rec	4.07	✓
	23 State Treas, reimbursement snow removal Teachers' Retir Ass'n, error in payroll ..	332.00	✓
	Teachers' Retir Ass'n, error in payroll ..	9.60	✓
July	2 Anna LaCrosse, victualer's license	2.00	
	3 Ella I Gray, 1944 poll and res taxes	162.60	
	Ella I Gray, 1945 excise tax and int	18.35	
	Ella I Gray, 1944 non-re taxes	60.51	
	Ella I Gray, 1944 Lucerne town taxes	423.56	
	28 Lester Gray, jr, Dedham town property ..	45.00	✓
	31 Mary Netter Horton, 1944 tax lien, costs ..	1.90	
Aug	1 Ella I Gray, 1944 resident taxes	154.86	✓
✓	Ella I Gray, 1944 Lucerne town taxes ..	407.38	✓
	Ella I Gray, 1944 non-res taxes	1,215.12	✓
	Ella I Gray, 1945 excise tax and int	58.47	
	Phillips Lord, 1944 tax lien and costs ..	2.71	✓
✓	2 E S and Bertha Quimby, 1941 lien, costs ..	44.65	✓
✓	7 Mary A Carson, 1944 Lucerne, lien, costs ..	18.66	✓
	8 Spencer Ervin, 1944 Dedham lien, costs ..	12.94	
	15 State Treas, State-aid construction acct ..	336.75	✓
	20 Leo Anderson, withholding tax	2.20	
	25 Leo Anderson, withholding tax	3.30	
	George Hopkins, withholding tax	1.40	
	William Gray, withholding tax40	
	Elmer Gray, withholding tax	1.40	
✓	26 Frank Erhkella, 1938 taxes	3.00	✓
✓	26 Frank Erhkella, 1940, 1941 taxes	6.00	✓

Sept	1	Ella I Gray, 1944 Lucerne taxes	150.39	
		Ella I Gray, 1942 Lucerne taxes	150.00	111
		Ella I Gray, 1943 Lucerne taxes	150.00	
		Ella I Gray, 1944 ex and non-res taxes .	18.63	
		Ella I Gray, 1944 resident taxes ..	22.35	
		Harry A Taylor, 1944 Lucerne lien, costs	2.30	
	15	Ben Barker, 1944 Lucerne lien, costs	2.71	
	22	Hazel Hoyt, withholding tax, ret fund	4.00	
		Louise Drake, withholding tax ..	7.80	
		State treas, refund State-aid construction	367.30	
	29	Ella I Gray, 1944 poll tax, int	4.73	
		Ella I Gray, interest	53.67	
		Ella I Gray, 1945 poll, excise tax	13.00	
		Ella I Gray, 1943 resident taxes	5.15	
		Ella I Gray, 1944 Lucerne taxes	1,074.87	
Oct	6	Hazel Hoyt, withholding tax, ret fund ...	4.00	
		Louise Drake, withholding tax	7.80	
	16	Otto Jamsa, reim State hos comm	32.00	
		Eugenia E Berry, Lucerne prop, part pmt	25.00	
	18	Mountainy Pond Club, Dedham property	25.00	
	20	Hazel Hoyt, withholding, ret fund	4.00	
	20	Louise Drake, withholding tax	7.80	
	24	Heirs A E Withington, 1944 Luc lien costs	3.04	
Nov	1	Ella I Gray, 1945 resident taxes	914.44	
		Ella I Gray, 1945 poll, excise taxes	63.26	
		Ella I Gray, 1945 non-resident taxes	2,219.38	
		Ella I Gray, 1945 Lucerne taxes	1,317.73	
	3	Hazel Hoyt, withholding, ret fund	4.00	
		Louise Drake, withholding tax	7.80	
		William Gray, withholding tax	30	
		George Hopkins, withholding tax	2.00	
		Elmer Gray, withholding tax	2.80	
		Roland E Barter, 1943, 1944 Ded lien, costs	23.65	
		Magnus F Ridlon, Lucerne town prop	35.85	
		Ella I Gray, Lucerne tax	1.74	
	9	Carl Lobley, Dedham town property	42.50	
		Earl Harbach, Lucerne town property	100.00	
	17	Hazel Hoyt, withholding tax, ret fund .	4.00	
		Louise Drake, withholding tax	7.80	
	23	Lillis T Jordan, Lucerne town property	50.00	
		R L Stull, Lucerne town property ..	35.00	
		Charles C, Rose A Whichelo, part pt Luc town property, defaulted	20.00	
	30	H D Copp, Lucerne town property .	29.42	
		Alice N Blake, lien, A C Moore, int, costs	19.16	

Dec	3	Raymond W Collins, Lucerne town p	40.00
		Hazel Hoyt, withholding, ret fund	4.00
		Louise Drake, withholding tax ..	7.80
	13	Wm B Winton, 1944 Lucerne, lien, costs .	2.71
	14	Ella I Gray, Lucerne town taxes	2,106.80
		Ella I Gray, 1945 non-res taxes ..	1,172.37
		Ella I Gray, 1945, 1946 excise taxes	22.98
		Ella I Gray, 1945 resident taxes	208.44
		Ella I Gray, 1946 poll taxes	27.00
		Hazel Hoyt, withholding tax and ret fund	4.00
		Louise Drake, withholding tax ..	7.20
		Westmore Wilcox, jr, 1944 Ded, lien, costs	18.00
	31	Ella I Gray, 1945 Lucerne town tax	693.28
		Ella I Gray, 1945 poll taxes ..	93.00
		Ella I Gray, 1946 excise taxes ..	39.00
		Ella I Gray, 1945 non-resident taxes	1,316.62
		Ella I Gray, 1945 resident taxes	370.16
Jan	11	Florence B Winton, 1941 tax liens and accounts payable	44.93
	12	Emil K Kartus, Lucerne town property	60.00
	14	Harlan Knights, part settlement, bk taxes	400.00
		State treas, Brewer high tuition ..	222.29
		State treas, teachers' ret refund ..	9.60
		State treas, bear bounty	10.00
	26	M A Kimball, 1944 Lucerne tax lien	2.30
		Hazel Hoyt, retirement fund	3.00
		Ione Garcelon, withholding tax	3.20
Feb	1	Town of Bucksport, tuition Sylvia Wallo	72.00
	5	Ella I Gray, 1945 poll, 1946 excise taxes ..	66.09
		Ella I Gray, 1945 non-resident taxes	930.42
		Ella I Gray, 1945 resident taxes	201.85
		Ella I Gray, 1945 Lucerne taxes	468.51
	9	State treas, School fd, dog tax refund	1,107.90
		State treas, State-aid construction	444.05
		Hazel Hoyt, retirement fund	3.00
		Ione Garcelon, withholding tax	2.80
	19	Ella I Gray, 1937 Dedham tax	16.38
		State treas, refund on Teachers' ret fnd	9.60
	23	Lucy B Webster, 1943-44 Lu, liens, costs	6.81
		George A Gray, acct rec	18.90
		Hazel Hoyt, Teachers' retirement fund .	3.00
		Ione Garcelon, wihtholding tax	2.80
	28	Ella I Gray, 1945 Lu tax, interest	707.81
		Ella I Gray, 1945 resident taxes	575.94
		Ella I Gray, 1945 non-res taxes	274.54

Ella I Gray, 1946 excise taxes	109.14
Ella Gray, full settlement 42-43-44 taxes	8.19
Ella I Gray, 1945 poll taxes	15.00
Int on sch fund, transf from town charges	68.98
Cash adjustments	4.20

Total	\$26,492.13
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Paid town warrants No 1-33, inc	\$25,296.37
Cash adjustments	32.70
Bal in treas Feb 28, 1946	1,163.06

Total	\$26,492.13
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Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE A. GRAY,

Treasurer.

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

ELLA I. GRAY, Collector,

In account with the TOWN OF DEDHAM

Commitment, 1945	\$10,657.91
Supplementary, 1945	42.00
Lucerne participation taxes, 1945	8,046.05
Excise taxes, 1945 and 1946	275.82
Balance, 1944 commitment	6,034.44
Balance, 1943 commitment	821.17
Balance, 1942 commitment	849.10
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	\$26,726.49

CREDITS

Town taxes, 1945	\$8,439.16
L I M participation taxes, 1945	5,295.36
Abatements, 1945, Dedham	50.56
Abatements, 1945, Lucerne town	36.03
Uncollected Dedham taxes, 1945	2,210.19
Uncollected Lucerne town taxes, 1945	2,714.66
Excise taxes, 1945 and 1946	275.82
Collections 1944 Dedham taxes ...	2,164.60
Abatements, 1944 Dedham taxes ...	24.13
Tax liens 1944 Dedham taxes	134.87
Collections 1944 Lucerne town taxes	2,672.66
Abatements 1944 Lucerne town taxes	633.62
Tax liens 1944 Lucerne town taxes..	404.56
Collections 1943 Dedham taxes	6.09
Abatements 1943 Dedham taxes	3.00
Collections 1943 Lucerne town taxes	151.77
Abatements 1943 Lucerne town taxes	660.31
Collections 1942 Lucerne town taxes	256.07
Abatements 1942 Lucerne town taxes	593.03

\$26,726.49

UNCOLLECTED POLL TAXES 1945

Arsenault, Larry	\$3.00	LaCrosse, Joseph A	3.00
Pd since close of books	3.00	McLaughlin, Sidney	3.00
Gray, Lester	3.00	Sonner, Peter	3.00
Higgins, Guy	3.00	Tracy, Mel	3.00
Jenkins, William	3.00	Smart, Fred	3.00
Johnson, Ernest	3.00	Smart, George	3.00
Knights, Harlan B	3.00		
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			\$39.00

UNCOLLECTED RESIDENT TAXES 1945

Barnes, Fred or		Knights, Harlan B	14.03
Walter Maddocks	5.10	LaCrosse, Anna	118.06
Barnes, Fred M	17.85	MacLeod, Katherine	8.87
Barnes, Merrill	15.50	Maynard, Amos	7.65
Bennoch, Charles P	57.07	Maynard, George D	48.20
Black, Bernard R	5.61	McLaughlin, Melzar	20.91
Cyr, Bertha L	30.09	Miller, heirs of Warren	60.79
Giles, Perley	16.58	Miller, Maurice M	15.30
Gilley, heirs of Earl	1.28	Moore, Arthur C	7.65
Gray, heirs of Julia H	8.67	Osgood, Emery	3.06
Higgins, Ruel L	21.68	Porter, C Earl	7.65
Ingalls, Carrie	12.24		
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			\$503.84

UNCOLLECTED NON-RESIDENT TAXES 1945

Bacon & Robinson Co, Inc		Mountainy Pond Club	
	\$106.33	Inc	988.58
Blaney, John J, heirs	4.28	Mullen, Clara E	17.85
Burleigh, Jeannette F	12.75	Nickerson, E J	21.42
Cousins, Edna	9.18	Noyes, Mary Parkhurst	20.14
Dogherty, Dana G	13.26	Pinkham, Raymond	4.28
Ervin, Spencer	10.20	Rockwell, Elmer	7.39
Foster, Arie	14.54	Rogers, Edgar James	2.55
Foster, Robert	2.04	Seavey, Edward W	2.04
Gallagher, Hugh, heirs	21.68	Simpson, Bernice S	1.79
Gray, Frank P	31.37	Simpson, Oliver L	20.91
Gray, Norman	63.75	Pd since close of books	12.24
Hammond, Walter J	34.68	Smith, Persis	22.19
Huggard, Hazel M	27.54	Wing, LeRoy	32.64
Jones, Lawrence V	7.65	Woodman, Fred	17.85
Law, Henry E	13.26	Waining, Heirs of O G	13.36

Lunt, Joseph E	17.09	Woodbury, heirs of S H	13.45
Masters, Effie R	38.25	Small, Edward F	.04
McCarthy, Dennis H	2.55		
McLaughlin, Alice P	13.51		\$1,667.87
Moon, Laura	25.24	Overpayment	52
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			\$1,667.35

UNCOLLECTED LUCERNE TOWN TAXES 1945

Anderson, Borghild	\$1.43	Gordon, Amy B	5.71
Bahuman, Ebba	1.07	Gordon, Mrs C H	.36
Berger, David	.71	Grant, Ernest A	.71
Bicknell, hrs of R W	1.07	Hagen, Cora Y	.71
Bendshaidler, Mrs Walter		Hallett, Alfred	1.79
	53.29	Ham, Robert C	.71
Birkenfield, Albert	1.43	Hawks, Gertrude A	1.43
Blackmon, Jacob S	1.07	Hinckey, Andrew	1.07
Blaisdell, Abbie G	.71	Keith, Edgar M	4.28
Blaisdell, Abbie, Frank	1.43	Kelley, Martha M	1.07
Blackmer, Ida M	69.62	Kenney, Teresa D	3.57
Bohn, Christian C	4.28	Kernahan, W Edward	2.50
Bontems, Mary, Otto	.36	Kingsley, Alpheus H	1.79
Blaisdell, Frank A	12.50	Kozlowich, Nicholas B	.71
Burke, Luke J	.71	Krause, Francis B	17.33
Butler, Samuel, M D	2.50	Kretchner, Albert	1.43
Cain Frank L	.71	Lanigan, Edward	3.93
Carson, Mary A	15.30	Lathbury, Edith H	2.14
Cassidy, W J	.71	Lindsay, Albert	33.66
Chason, Henry	41.31	Linnel, Robert M	1.07
Christmas, Philip	38.25	Lobley, Carl	22.44
Clark, Charles M	.36	Lord, Phillips H	1.07
Condon, Harry A	21.93	Lunt, Edward	2.14
Conlan, Mary G	4.28	MacFarland, Thos M	1.07
Connelly, Mrs Annie	22.19	MacKinnon, Ray D	33.10
Cushman, Albert K and		Mechler, Katherine	19.28
Gertrude	.71	Mills, H Rex and Ida M	.71
Davis, Katherine L	1.43	Moss, Harriet B	1.07
Dunham, Alice S	34.43	Moulton, Harry L	1.79
Dunleavy, Frank J	.36	Murray, Emma L	2.14
Ellis, Cyrus H	.71	Newinger, Adelaide S	18.36
Findley, Francis M	5.35	Newinger, Adelaides, Nancy	
Forshay, LeRoy	.71	and Carol	47.43
Foss, Jane C	4.64	Parker, John H	1.07

Fraser, Evelyn	14.79	Pascocello, Margaret	1.07
French, Arthur J	23.21	Pelletier, Mrs F P	.71
Gettinger, William	38.20	Peters, Charles	.36
Gilmore, Agnes	1.07	Quimby, Prof E	
Goebel, Ella S	.71	and Bertha	38.76
Good, Scolley & Boss		Richardson, Hardendorff	.36
Co, Inc	1.07	Richardson, Rachel M	1.79
Robinson, E F	2.14	Mildred	28.31
Rosetti, Saverio	.36	Weybright, June E	1.43
Schalit, Norman M	.36	Wheelock, Willard E	2.14
Scheier, Helen	.71	Wholey, James	1.07
Schwartz, Clara K	3.93	Wilkinson, Frank W	1.79
Scofield, Mrs Sadie	12.24	Williams, William	2.14
Seitz, Theresa H	17.17	Withington, A E, heirs	1.43
Smith, Davis & Co	119.49	Worthen, Nathaniel C	2.14
Solan, Anna K	1.07	Wynne, Marion T	.71
Sonner, Peter E	22.74	Zorn, Carl J	21.93
Stewart, Edward T	1.43	Zuber, Ethan G	6.43
Taylor, Harry A	.71	Bangor Pub Co	64.11
Teves, Susan M	1.43	Bragg, Edward C	14.79
Thornton, Emily S	2.50	Dresser, Mary G	12.75
Tibbetts, Maxine, est	.71	Johnson, Charles	151.27
Thompson, Milton R	.71	Lillis Corporation	157.07
Turrell, Rev Thos and		Lillis Corporation	64.25
Mildred	1.07	Lucerne Water Co	255.00
Tuttle, J Purdy	2.86	Lunt, Edward	17.85
Tuttle, William C	48.45	Mountainy Pond Club	7.65
Wallace, Stanley M	1.07	Smith, Davis & Co	692.07
Weiler, Mrs Gladys F	1.07	Smith, Davis & Co	260.10
Welch, Carlton and		Smith, Mrs Alice	.71

\$2,714.66

NURSE'S REPORT

I herein submit a brief report of the service rendered the Town of Dedham by the Hancock County Tuberculosis and Health Association for the Period beginning January 1, 1945, to December 31, 1945.

HEALTH SERVICE TO SCHOOLS

Eight visits have been made to the primary and grammar rooms during the school year at which times class room inspection was given. Individual inspection was given those who were absent when the annual inspection was given and a check-up made of the Seven Point pupils.

The annual physical inspection was given during December and consisted of the routine weighing and measuring, the Snellen's test for vision, the whisper test for hearing, inspection of the teeth, throat, scalp, for postural defects, the skin for rashes and sores and personal cleanliness as well as for infectious diseases with the following results.

Pupils having defective vision	3
Pupils having inflamed eyelids	2
Pupils having decayed teeth	37
Pupils having decay of permanent teeth..	10
Pupils having unclean teeth	1
Pupils having abnormal throat	1
Pupils 10 per cent. or more underweight ..	3
Pupils 20 per cent. of more overweight ..	4
Pupils with swollen glands	1
Pupils with defective speech	2
Pupils with unclean scalp	1

Of the fifty-one pupils inspected, forty were found to have remedial corrections and eleven eligible to qualify for the Seven Point Pin and certificate. Since previous inspections there have been two vision and ten dental corrections.

We have not been without the usual run of children's diseases and the schools were closed for a week due to prevalence of measles.

Tuberculosis Control and Prevention

At the recommendation of the family physician, three persons were given the Tuberculin Patch test, and when read two were positive and one negative. The three attended the chest

clinic in Ellsworth, sponsored by the State Bureau of Tuberculosis Control on November 15, and were X-rayed. Follow-up visits were made to homes in following up the defects.

The service rendered the many towns of Hancock County is financed through the sale of Christmas Seals and by the town appropriation for which we wish to express our thanks and appreciation to all who have assisted and showed their interest in the work.

Respectfully submitted:

**HANCOCK COUNTY TUBERCULOSIS AND
HEALTH ASSOCIATION.**

By: Winifred L. Dunphy, R. N.,

Public Health Nurse.

PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

January 1, 1945 - January 1, 1946

Public Health Nurses are interested in the total health situation of the family including disease prevention, the promotion of health education and where adequate nursing service is available, care of the sick in the home. ..

Because Dedham is fortunate in having a public health nurse employed by another agency to do special work with the school children, my part of the total public health program has been directed primarily to the maternal and child health work.

Since it is recognized that care during the pre-natal period greatly influences the health of the mother and baby, visits have been made to pre-natal and postpartum patients as well as infants and pre-school children.

In September a well-child conference was held. Diphtheria and smallpox immunization was offered at that time.

The war is over but the job of promoting public health on the home front is not. The nurse can do little without community backing. I wish to express my sincere thanks to the public in general for their splendid cooperation. With combined efforts much can be accomplished.

LENEITA E. BUTLER, R. N.,

Public Health Nurse.

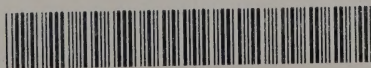






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